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SUMMARY

From an analysis of pressures measured on the horizontal tail of a supersonic aircraft configuration in the Langley 4- by 4-foot supersonic tunnel at Mach numbers of 1.40 and 1.59 estimates of downwash angle in the plane of the tail are obtained for the complete model and the model less the wing. These results are compared with an approximate application of linearized theory and, where appropriate, with force-tests results for the same configuration.

The downwash angles obtained from the pressure measurements were found to be everywhere greater than those of the theory. This appears to be due largely to the neglect of the flow field produced by the vertical tail. There was reasonable agreement in the average rate of change of downwash angle with angle of attack with the exception of those values obtained nearest the vertical tail.

Both the pressure data and the theoretical results indicate that about half of the total rate of change of downwash angle with angle of attack is due to the wing at a Mach number of 1.40. At a Mach number of 1.59, theory indicates the same trend. Experimentally at M = 1.59, however, pressure downwash angles show a somewhat smaller wing contribution to the rate of change of downwash angle with angle of attack, while on the other hand, force results at the same Mach number show a greater wing contribution.

INTRODUCTION

A knowledge of the downwash field at the tail of a supersonic aircraft configuration is essential to the determination of the static longitudinal stability of the aircraft. Most of the supersonic downwash field measurements have been made behind isolated wings as in references 1 to 5. References 1 to 3 contain measurements of the downwash field at M=1.53 for rectangular, triangular, and swept wings, respectively. Reference 4 presents field measurements behind a rectangular wing at M=2.41 and reference 5 gives values behind a trapezoidal wing at M=1.91. In reference 6, over-all downwash values at the tail as derived from force-test data are given for a rectangular wing and tail and body combination at M=1.92. Force-test downwash values for the 40° swept-wing and swept-tail configuration of this paper are given in reference 7 for M=1.40 and reference 8 for M=1.59.

Linearized solutions for the downwash fields of wings of various shapes may be found in the works of Lagerstrom and Graham (references 9 and 10) who use the method of superposition of conical flow solutions; Lomax and Sluder (reference 11) who use a surface of potential discontinuity formed by a distribution of doublets; and Mirels and Haefeli (reference 12) who use the discontinuity formed by a distribution of vortices. The method of reference 12 was used for the wing of the configuration of this paper.

The flow fields over bodies of revolution may be calculated by the method of characteristics as discussed in reference 13 for 0° angle of attack and in reference 14 for angles of attack other than 0° . Linearized theory calculations for corresponding attitudes may be made by the methods of references 15 and 16 which were used for the calculation of the body downwash fields in this paper.

The tail data used in this paper were taken in the course of the body and wing pressure tests reported in references 17 to 20. The estimated downwash angles given in this paper are supplementary results of the tests on a supersonic aircraft configuration having a 40° sweptback wing at Mach numbers of 1.40 and 1.59. By use of the pressure measurements on the horizontal tail surfaces the effective downwash angles at the tail have been approximated by determining the tail incidence angles for which the lifting pressure vanished. Results are given for the complete configuration and for the model less the wing.

The results are compared with an approximate application of linear theory calculations and with downwash angles derived from force tests (references 7 and 8) on the same configuration. The complexity of the

configuration and the approximate nature of the pressure downwash angles to which the theory is compared do not justify a more complete theoretical treatment.

SYMBOLS

Free-stream conditions:

ρ mass density of air

V airspeed

a speed of sound in air

M Mach number (V/a)

q dynamic pressure $\left(\frac{1}{2}\rho V^2\right)$

p static pressure

Horizontal-tail geometry:

S area

b span

c chord parallel to free stream at any spanwise station

c' chord of orifice plane normal to quarter-chord line

x chordwise distance from airfoil leading edge

x' chordwise distance from airfoil leading edge in plane normal to quarter-chord line

average chord (S/b)

y spanwise distance from plane of symmetry of model

Pressure data:

p₁ local static pressure

P pressure coefficient
$$\left(\frac{p_{l}-p}{q}\right)$$

$$\triangle P$$
 lifting-pressure coefficient $\left(P_{L} - P_{U}\right)$

Downwash determination:

 α angle of attack of fuselage center line (positive up), degrees

it tail incidence angle relative to fuselage center line (positive up), degrees

6 downwash angle at tail (positive down), degrees

 Δc_n average lifting-pressure coefficient on chord segment (positive up) between 15- and 45-percent constant chord lines

$$\left(\frac{1}{0.45 - 0.15} \int_{0.15}^{0.45} \Delta Pd(x/c) \text{ or} \right)$$

$$\frac{1}{0.41 - 0.13} \int_{0.13}^{0.41} \Delta Pd(x'/c') dc$$

 $\Delta C_{
m N}$ average lifting-pressure coefficient on spanwise strip (positive up) between 15- and 45-percent constant chord lines

$$\left(\frac{2}{b}\int_{0}^{b/2}\left(\Delta c_{n}\frac{c}{c}\right)dy\right)$$

Subscripts:

L lower surface

U upper surface

APPARATUS

Tunnel.- The data presented in this paper were obtained in the Langley 4- by 4-foot supersonic tunnel at Mach numbers of 1.40 and 1.59. A detailed description of this tunnel may be found in reference 17.

Model.- The sting-mounted steel test model (fig. 1) was built to the dimensions given in figure 2. The afterpiece shown in figure 1 is integral with the model and forms a part of the sting as shown in figure 3. The detachable wing of the model had 40° of sweepback at the quarter-chord line, aspect ratio 4, taper ratio 0.5, and 10-percent-thick circular-arc sections normal to the quarter-chord line.

The horizontal tail had 40° sweepback at the quarter-chord line, aspect ratio 3.72, taper ratio 0.5, and NACA 65-008 sections normal to the quarter-chord line.

The tail incidence angles were set at the root by means of machined filler blocks which fitted around the horizontal tail and into a cutout in the rudder. The pivot axis for the horizontal tail passed through the 73-percent point of the root chord. There were 35 orifices arranged in three vertical planes on the left half of the horizontal tail. The number and location of the orifices were limited by the thinness of the tail. The position of each orifice is given in table I, while in figure 4 are shown the positions of the orifice planes and the spanwise strip used in the analysis of the pressure data.

TESTS

Experimental data were obtained at Mach numbers of 1.40 and 1.59 and Reynolds numbers (based on the wing mean aerodynamic chord) of 600,000 and 575,000, respectively, for the complete model and the model less the wing. The angle-of-attack range of the complete model was -3° to 8° at M = 1.40 and -5° to 10° at M = 1.59. The model less the wing was tested for an angle-of-attack range of -5° to 4° at M = 1.40 and -5° to 10° at M = 1.59. The tail incidence angles for each angle of attack are shown in tables I and II. The data were obtained for stagnation conditions of: pressure, 0.25 atmosphere; temperature, 110° Fahrenheit; dew points of -30° Fahrenheit at M = 1.40, and -35° Fahrenheit at M = 1.59.

PRECISION OF TESTS AND RESULTS

Calibration data for the test section at Mach number 1.40 may be found in reference 18 and at Mach number 1.59 in reference 17. Since the gradients of flow parameters are small in the vicinity of the model, no corrections have been made to the data.

The estimated extreme variations of M and P through the test section are ± 0.01 . The estimated error in P at a given point of the test section is ± 0.003 .

The accuracy attained in setting the angles α and i_t is estimated as $\pm 0.02^{\circ}$ and $\pm 0.05^{\circ}$, respectively.

The estimated maximum error in ϵ due to the local variation of P, to the setting of α and i_t , and to changes in the fairing of the pressure distributions and the loading curves of the spanwise strip is $\pm 0.25^{\circ}$.

Presentation and Analysis of Experimental Data

In tables I and II, the data obtained for the horizontal tail are given in pressure-coefficient form.

In each orifice plane, point downwash angles were obtained from the data by determining the tail incidence angles for which the lifting pressure vanished at the 15-percent constant chord line. At these incidence angles, the chord line of the orifice plane was considered to be alined with the flow at the leading edge in the orifice plane and the downwash angle was found from the relation $\epsilon = \alpha + i_t$. Curves of the variation of this point downwash angle with angle of attack are given in figure 5 for the model at M = 1.40 and 1.59, with and without the wing.

The point downwash angle described is not the angle of downward deviation of the flow in the absence of the tail, which is the usual concept of a downwash angle. The fact that each point of analysis is behind a detached shock and includes a considerable length of leading edge in its fore Mach cone makes the point downwash analysis yield a value of downwash angle determined by local conditions in the fore Mach cone. In addition, the interference effects of the body-wing-rudder combination may vary the flow field at the tail. The point downwash angles derived from the pressure analysis are to be considered then as approximations to the usual point downwash angles and not identical with them. The reason the values are considered as approximations to the

downwash angle and as such compared with theory is that the horizontal tail is a comparatively large distance above the trailing-vortex sheet from the wing and the part of the tail in the fore Mach cone is subject to a comparatively uniform flow.

The area downwash angles are presented in figure 6. To find the area downwash angles, the normal-force coefficient Δc_n on a chord segment between the 15- and 45-percent constant chord lines, was found in each orifice plane. These normal-force coefficients were plotted against the spanwise station as shown in figure 7 and were then integrated. The vanishing of this integral ΔC_N with tail incidence angle was taken to indicate an average heading of the local air stream for the strip bounded by the 15- and 45-percent constant chord lines. A sample variation of ΔC_N with tail incidence angle is shown in figure 8 along with the derived area downwash angle.

If sufficient orificies were available over the entire tail, the area downwash angles would be those corresponding to the vanishing of the tail normal-force coefficient.

THEORETICAL ANALYSIS

Theoretical calculations of the downwash field in the region of the tail of the model were made for the fuselage alone (less canopies) and the wing alone. Point downwash values were obtained at the same chordwise locations, and chordwise and spanwise integrations were performed for the same region of the tail used in the analysis of the experimental data. For the case of the wing-fuselage combination, the values of the downwash were approximated by superposition of the wing and body values.

The body downwash values were determined from linear calculations (references 15 and 16) of the flow field about the fuselage in the vicinity of the tail.

The wing downwash values were calculated by the method of reference 12. This analysis (reference 12) is based on a line vortex located at a straight-line approximation to the locus of the centers of pressure of the individual wing stations. For the present application, this straight-line approximation intersected the root chord at the 50-percent station for both Mach numbers, and the tip chord at the 35-percent station for a Mach number of 1.59, and the 10-percent station for a Mach number of 1.40.

The theoretical span loadings used to establish both the position and magnitude of the line vortex were obtained from references 19 and 20 for Mach numbers of 1.59 and 1.40, respectively.

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The downwash calculations were made for a fixed-tail-plane position relative to the plane of the wing at an angle of attack of 0°. No allowance was made for either the drop in tail position as the wing angle of attack was increased, or the displacement of the trailing-vortex sheet. Actually, the vortex sheet will displace downward as the angle of attack is increased and the tail position drops so that the two effects will tend to cancel each other.

The rolling up of the trailing-vortex sheet has a negligible effect on the downwash angles for this configuration because of the location of the horizontal tail. The short-span-tail plane is not far enough downstream of the wing tips to be affected by the rolling-up process which starts at the tips (reference 21).

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Variation of point downwash angles with α . In figure 5, for both the complete model and the model less the wing, the variations with angle of attack of the point downwash angles derived from the pressure data are presented along with corresponding theoretical variations.

All the point downwash values are somewhat higher than the corresponding theory for both the complete model and the model less wing. Considering the influence of the vertical tail, which is neglected in the theory, helps to account for this difference. The velocity increase at the horizontal-tail location, caused by the vertical-tail thickness, occurs mostly normal to the leading edge and since the vertical tail has a sweptback leading edge, it tends to increase the experimental downwash angles. If average slopes are taken over the range of angles of attack for which there are data, the $d\varepsilon/d\alpha$ as indicated by the point downwash-angle variations are much the same as those indicated by theory, except in the inboard plane for the model less the wing. At M = 1.59, (fig. 5(b)), the point downwash-angle variation for the inboard plane indicates a somewhat higher $d\varepsilon/d\alpha$ than the theory.

The difference curves of figure 5 represent the downwash angle due to the addition of the wing. Although they are subject to twice the error of either of the other curves taken alone, the agreement in angle and slope is good for the two outboard stations at both Mach numbers. At the inboard station at M = 1.59, the large body contribution indicated by the pressure downwash leads to a negative $d\varepsilon/d\alpha$ over the positive α range and the largest disagreement with theory.

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Variation of downwash angle with spanwise position .- In the tail span-loading curves of figure 7, there is, for angles of attack greater than zero, an evident gradient along the span in the it required for zero $\triangle c_n$. If the vanishing of $\triangle c_n$ is taken as the criterion for alinement of the chord of a spanwise station with the local flow, and the downwash angle computed as $\epsilon = \alpha + it$, an increase in downwash angle from the outboard to the inboard orifice planes is indicated. A larger gradient is shown for the model less the wing than for the complete model, indicating a large body contribution to $d\epsilon/d\alpha$.

Variation of area downwash angle with a.- The area downwash angles for the complete model and the model less wing, given in figure 6, are somewhat higher in every case than the values of the corresponding theory. The previously mentioned influence of the vertical tail helps to account for this difference. The agreement in $d\epsilon/d\alpha$ for the complete model and the model less the wing is good throughout except for the complete model at M = 1.59 in the negative angle-of-attack range.

In the difference curves of figure 6, the variation of the difference between the downwash values obtained for the complete model and the model-less-wing configuration is compared with the variation of theoretical wing-alone values. This comparison is of uncertain significance because of the unknown magnitude of the interference effects due to the addition of the wing.

The area downwash difference variations at M = 1.40 agree very closely with theory while at M = 1.59 they indicate a negligible $d\epsilon/d\alpha$ as compared with theory.

Comparison of area downwash angles with force-test results .- The downwash curves from the pressure analysis and the theory are compared with the results of force tests in figure 9. The force-test downwash angles were obtained by determining the tail incidence angle for which the addition of the tail had no effect on the pitching moment.

From the force tests it was also found that the downwash angles corresponding to the vanishing of the pitching-moment increment were essentially the same as those corresponding to the vanishing of the normal-force coefficients. Hence the area downwash from the pressure tests should be an approximation to the force results.

For the complete configuration at both Mach numbers, the pressure data, though indicating slightly lower downwash angles than the force data, show essentially the same values of $d\epsilon/d\alpha$, values which agree reasonably well with theory. Similar agreement between the pressure data and theory is shown for the model-less-wing configuration at M = 1.40. No force data are available for the model-less-wing

configuration at M = 1.40. For M = 1.59 the force and pressure data show dissimilar trends for the model-less-wing configuration, the pressure data showing a considerably higher $d\epsilon/d\alpha$ value. The theoretical value is between both sets of experimental data.

At both Mach numbers, the theoretical results agree that the modelless-wing configuration contributes about the same $d\varepsilon/d\alpha$ as the wing alone. The pressure results at M = 1.40 credit the modelless-wing configuration with about the same $d\varepsilon/d\alpha$ as the wing, but at M = 1.59, the pressures indicate that the contribution of the model less wing is considerably more than half of the total $d\varepsilon/d\alpha$. The only force-test results at M = 1.59 indicate a small body contribution to the total $d\varepsilon/d\alpha$.

CONCLUDING REMARKS

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TABLE I.- PRESSURE COEFFICIENTS ON HORIZONTAL TAIL FOR MODEL LESS ITS WING

(a) M = 1.40

	α		-:	5	()		2	4				
	it		2	4	2	4	- 2	0	-2	0	2		
Plane A	Upper- surface position,	0.102 .190 .279 .388 .491	0.265 .142 .064 .006	0.200 .077 .007 042 083	0.076 037 098 136 166	-0.002 100 155 194 221	0.167 .049 017 061 097	0.085 030 088 127 154	0.089 024 082 121 150	-0.005 101 158 194 219	-0.106 175 221 251 276		
	Lower- surface position, x/c	.124 .221 .327 .393 .486	205 230 257 276 304	111 152 188 211 252	.035 031 081 111 164	.108 .041 017 050 110	050 103 149 174 221	.039 025 078 108 163	.037 028 080 111 165	.122 .050 012 048 108	.201 .127 .058 .018 048		
										14			
	α		-	5		0		2					
	it		2	4	2	4	-2	0	-2	0	2		
Plane B	Upper- surface position, x ¹ /c ¹	0.084 .168 .260 .353 .442 .539 .786	0.237 .131 .058 007 071 078 193	0.171 .068 .003 051 116 111 226	0.065 034 084 120 169 163 262	-0.005 093 146 172 212 191 291	0.156 .056 006 050 117 120 218	0.075 019 069 107 166 154 257	0.086 008 058 097 150 149 246	0.000 086 133 158 200 180 285	-0.090 153 196 222 248 213 309		
	Lower- surface position, x ¹ /c ¹	.106 .199 .238 .340 .428 .530 .596 .733	213 233 241 285 320 359 377 370	122 174 186 235 274 320 342 361	.005 075 097 163 221 266 292 323	.075 011 036 105 163 219 243 277	072 142 158 224 279 323 334 306	.009 075 097 169 221 226 290 323	.008 077 099 172 235 277 299 321	.085 010 037 114 172 226 254 293	.157 .062 .036 045 112 178 211		
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	i _t	1	2	4	2	4	-2	0	-2	0	2		
Plane C	Upper- surface position, x/c	0.091 0.183 .185 .080 .288 .042 .395020 .492081		0.135 .027 006 065 121	0.084 037 053 106 160	0.030 089 100 143 196	0.172 .056 .018 040 101	0.111 005 031 096 146	0.136 .020 017 069 130	0.072 048 073 122 177	0.004 114 122 166 210		
	Lower- surface position,			083 131 163 221 277	020 094 139 191 240	.045 028 078 140 194	105 189 211 251 293	045 127 150 201 248	066 161 180 218 262	004 103 119 172 218	.065 024 053 119 175		



TABLE I.- PRESSURE COEFFICIENTS ON HORIZONTAL TAIL FOR MODEL LESS ITS WING - Concluded

(b) M = 1.59

α		- 5		- 3	-2	0		2		4		6	8			10
iţ	t	2	14	2	2	2	4	2	-2	0	2	2	-4	-2	2	2
Upper- surface position,	0.102 .190 .279 .388 .491	.057	.067 005	.086	.053 017 064	010 071 113	078 138 175	060 119 158	.032 034 080	063 125 161	-0.030 119 174 210 221	169 215 244	018 078 115	072 127 163	-0.166 224 263 287 307	-0.163 119 116 101 068
Lower- surface position, x/c	.221	227 254 271	149 185 207	157 190 210	119 160 186	107 135	048 078	002 053 086	095 139 168	089	.121 .052 008 044 100	.047	051 100 131	083	.236 .157 .089 .048 019	.285 .201 .127 .087
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Lower- surface position x'/c'	.238 .340 .428	243 287 325	191 238 276 324	196 248 293 335 352	171 227 276 318 338	124 190 239 283 305	061 133 189 238 265	078 149 196 246 271	158 224 277 318 329	114 185 235 282 304	036 100 158 219 248 288	.017 064 129 190 221	130 200 251 287 304	079 151 199 246	.056 022 093 160 191 230	.102 .010 062 123 129 104
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i		2	4	2	2	2	4	2	-2	0	2	2				2
Upper- surface position,	.185	.066	.012	.023	.002	041	095 109	080 096	.011	070 089	0.000 122 131 161 215	152 163 188	012 048 109	054 085 122	-0.088 182 191 216 259	-0.118 196 205 226 219
Lower- surface position, x/c	.188	189	149 171 227	168 205 257	154 190 243	123 161 216	059 169 169	096 130 183	190 222 265	144 182 232	.027 067 111 164 210	052 080 136	202 197 224	152 149 188	.070 002 030 093 146	.130 .065 .024 066 116
	Upper- surface surface surface surface surface position, x/c^{1} p	Lower- Upper- Lower- Upper- Lower- Upper- Surface Surface	Tower- Context Conte	O.102 O.256 O.184 O.67 O.054 O.052 O.054 O.052 O.054 O.093 O.052 O.054 O.093 O.093 O.093 O.093 O.093 O.093 O.093 O.094 O.084 O.230 O.169 O.084 O.230 O.169 O.168 O.230 O.169 O.168 O.230 O.169 O.168 O.230 O.169 O.168 O.230 O.169 O.169 O.125 O.064 O.230 O.169 O.169 O.125 O.064 O.230 O.169 O.125 O.064 O.091 O.173 O.123 O.123 O.123 O.123 O.288 O.27 O.288 O.	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.190 0.134 0.67 0.086 0.025 0.124 0.203 0.167 0.084 0.203 0.077 0.075	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.169 0.190 0.134 0.067 0.086 0.053 0.027 0.086 0.053 0.027 0.086 0.053 0.027 0.086 0.053 0.027 0.086 0.053 0.027 0.028 0.044 0.027 0.028 0.044 0.027 0.028 0.044 0.028 0.02	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.169 0.107 0.104 0.205 0.169 0.107 0.106 0.107 0.071 0.072 0.000 0.134 0.67 0.102 0.145 0.103 0.169 0.107 0.012 0.17 0.071 0.102 0.145 0.163 0.169 0.107 0.102 0.145 0.165	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.169 0.107 0.026	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.169 0.107 0.026 0.048060 1.90 1.34 .067 .086 .053010078060 1.90 1.34 .067 .086 .053010078060 1.90 1.34 .067 .086 .053010078060 1.90 1.34 .067 .086 .053010078060 1.90 1.38 .119 .388 .002054038064113175158 .119 .388 .002054038064113175158 .119 .388 .002054038064113175158 .119 .060 .007 .000 .068 .064 .221227149157119060 .005002 .221227149157119060 .005002 .221227257180160107048053 .221227250186135078086 .054 .023 .299252230184131140 .001 .001 .001 .001 .001 .001 .001	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.169 0.107 0.026 0.048 0.149 0.107 0.026 0.048 0.149 0.194 0.67 0.086 0.053 -0.010 -0.078 -0.060 0.32 0.279 0.57 -0.005 0.012 -0.07 -0.071 -1.38 -1.19 -0.34 0.203 0.02 -0.54 -0.08 -0.04 -1.13 -1.75 -1.58 -0.80 0.29 0.024 0.033 -0.04 -1.12 -1.14 -1.05 -1.02 -1.145 -2.04 -1.88 -1.114 0.00 0.00 0.068 0.064 -0.039 0.004 0.030 0.05 -0.002 -0.05 0.002 0.05 0.002 -0.05 0.002 -0.05 0.002 0.05 0.002 -0.05 0.002 0.002 0.002 0.003 0.003 0.003 0.003 0.004 0.003 0.004 0.003 0.004 0.003 0.004 0.003 0.004 0.003 0.004 0.003 0.004 0.003 0.004 0.005 0.002 0.004 0.003 0.004 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.004 0.005 0.	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.169 0.107 0.026 0.048 0.149 0.047 0.05 0.190 0.134 0.067 0.05 0.05 0.05 0.05 0.05 0.05 0.05 0.0	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.169 0.107 0.026 0.048 0.149 0.047 -0.030 1.190 0.134 0.067 0.086 0.053 0.101 0.076 0.060 0.032 0.063 0.119 0.279 0.057 0.005 0.012 0.017 0.071 0.138 0.119 0.047 0.030 0.111 0.279 0.057 0.005 0.012 0.017 0.071 0.138 0.119 0.034 0.125 0.171 0.138 0.119 0.034 0.125 0.151 0.199 0.251 0.038 0.064 0.133 0.175 0.189 0.191 0.043 0.093 0.077 0.102 0.145 0.204 0.188 0.114 0.189 0.221 0.221 0.227 0.149 0.157 0.119 0.060 0.005 0.002 0.095 0.037 0.052 0.221 0.221 0.227 0.149 0.157 0.119 0.060 0.005 0.002 0.095 0.037 0.052 0.221 0.221 0.227 0.149 0.157 0.109 0.160 0.005 0.002 0.095 0.037 0.052 0.094 0.039 0.024 0.039 0.044 0.039 0.044 0.039 0.044 0.039 0.044 0.039 0.044 0.039 0.044 0.061 0.047 0.006 0.065 0.066 0.166 0.120 0.044 0.066 0.065 0.065 0.066 0.066 0.120 0.044 0.066 0.065	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.169 0.107 0.026 0.048 0.149 0.047 0.030 -0.097 1.190 1.134 0.667 0.086 0.053 0.100 0.078 0.060 0.032 0.063 0.119 0.169 1.169 1.165 0.080 0.032 0.063 0.119 0.169 0.107 0.071 0.138 0.119 0.047 0.032 0.024 0.033 0.094 0.128 0.161 0.210 0.244 0.080 0.032 0.054 0.038 0.064 0.113 0.175 1.175 0.050 0.161 0.210 0.244 0.080 0.039 0.030 0.093 0.077 0.102 0.145 0.204 0.186 0.114 0.109 0.221 0.221 0.269 0.084 0.039 0.039 0.039 0.029 0.121 0.082 0.033 0.037 0.052 0.111 0.054 0.055 0.053 0.055 0.037 0.052 0.111 0.054 0.055 0.053 0.055	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.169 0.107 0.026 0.048 0.149 0.047 0.030 0.097 0.092	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.169 0.107 0.026 0.048 0.149 0.047 0.030 0.097 0.092 0.033 1.90 1.94 0.067 0.086 0.073 0.000 0.078 0.092 0.033 0.010 0.134 0.067 0.086 0.073 0.000 0.078 0.000 0.078 0.000 0.032 0.063 0.119 0.169 0.018 0.072 0.093 0.093 0.073 0.093 0.074 0.077 0.002 0.033 0.078 0.	0.102 0.256 0.184 0.203 0.169 0.107 0.026 0.048 0.149 0.047 -0.030 -0.097 0.092 0.033 -0.166

TABLE II.- PRESSURE COEFFICIENTS ON HORIZONTAL TAIL FOR COMPLETE MODEL

(a) M = 1.40

	(a) M = 1,40													0											
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	Upper- surface position, x/c	0.102 .190 .279 .388 .491	-2 0.353 .239 .161 .110 .063	0 0.283 .172 .097 .052 .010	0.220 .107 .040 001 039	0.159 .051 013 053 086	0.321 .210 .137 .088 .045	0.259 .150 .078 .032 006	0.186 .077 .013 025 060	0.120 .021 037 074 106	0.046 039 090 123 151	0.327 .215 .143 .092 .050	0.247 .134 .069 .028 011	0.194 .083 .019 019 053	0.118 .015 043 079 111	0.038 047 098 132 157	0.260 .147 .079 .037 002	0.184 .075 .012 027 059	0.129 .027 033 070 100	0.039 045 098 131 160	-0.046 112 156 183 207	0.112 .012 042 077 104	0.031 047 094 124 150	-0.047 111 152 176 197	-0.138 179 213 235 253
	Lower- surface position, x/c	.124 .221 .327 .393 .486	177 198 222 236 262	103 136 168 186 217	-,022 -,066 -,106 -,127 -,165	.046 008 057 083 126	103 132 161 182 212	049 090 127 150 185	.031 027 072 099 140	.106 .043 008 037 085	.164 .097 .041 .008	115 142 174 191 223	028 074 114 136 175	.035 021 067 093 136	.105 .039 011 042 092	.176 .106 .047 .012	017 079 119 141 180	.057 002 051 078 125	.050 004 033 083	.181 .109 .049 .015 040	.250 .172 .105 .068 .005	.119 .050 007 039 090	.210 .135 .073 .038 018	.259 .181 .111 .072 .010	.242 .169 .113 .064
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Plane	Upper- surface position, x'/c'	0.084 .168 .260 .353 .442 .539 .786	-2 0.332 .225 .146 .089 .022 033 103	0 0.262 .157 .084 .033 036 074 147	0.199 .096 .031 017 070 113 173	0.140 .041 023 064 110 145 204	0.304 .198 .127 .071 .008 040 108	0.243 .137 .070 .022 036 082 148	0.173 .069 .007 035 084 128 187	0.112 .018 043 080 121 151 207	0.043 037 093 128 165 187 237	0.312 .207 .133 .085 .020 037 103	0.23 ¹ 4 .129 .06 ¹ 4 .016 039 085 151	0.183 .080 .018 022 074 111 175	0.112 .016 043 079 123 153 210	0.126 042 097 130 167 184 237	0.248 .144 .077 .029 024 072 136	0.177 .076 .017 023 070 117 172	0.126 .030 028 062 103 139 195	0.042 037 090 124 160 184 234	-0.041 099 143 172 206 218 259	0.114 .023 028 058 103 138 189	0.041 030 081 105 135 161 207	-0.016 090 128 157 183 199 238	-0.122 162 186 203 230 238 266
	Lower- surface position,	.106 .199 .238 .340 .428 .530 .596	182 215 222 254 289 319 303 284	115 157 165 207 252 296 317 296	038 092 105 160 211 259 273 294	.024 046 062 121 177 224 243 270	116 158 169 212 256 291 272 256	068 121 134 187 235 270 297 267	.007 067 083 144 203 256 272 284	.080 002 021 092 154 209 240	.134 .049 .024 053 120 171 192 224	128 171 183 229 275 299 273 267	050 111 127 186 237 283 286 256	.010 064 082 146 202 258 276 266	009 029 103 168 226 238 265	.050 .025 055 124 173 194 228	119 135 192 247 295 281 260	051 072 139 196 249 270 255	002 025 098 161 222 244 262	.050 .026 058 131 191 204 236	.108 .079 008 078 136 162 198	010 036 114 180 238 260 294	073 046 039 111 175 195 236	.114 .082 009 084 145 176 214	.175 .142 .051 031 103 128 191
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Pla	Upper- surface position,	0.091 .185 .288 .395 .492	0.263 .146 .100 .057 014	0.204 .088 .049 .000 058	0.147 .031 .000 044 092	0.097 021 042 080 129	0.267 .151 .103 .047 011	0.214 .095 .050 .012 063	0.154 .036 001 052 099	0.095 018 043 080 119	0.040 068 088 120 160	0.293 .173 .120 .071 001	0.223 .107 .063 .004 050	0.180 .062 .021 027 083	0.121 .002 029 079 123	0.053 052 074 105 165	0.252 .135 .083 .035 034	0.177 .076 .038 019 089	0.149 .035 002 049 100	0.083 029 056 102 144	0.012 085 106 133 181	0.187 .081 .033 023 077	0.135 .033 004 052 105	0.080 024 055 095 144	0.019 080 103 136 178
	Lower- surface position,	.122 .188 .288 .392 .489	140 187 219 	082 139 179 	033 089 130	086	130 174 203 	089 143 185 	019 099 144 	.047 037 084 	.092 .011 037 	191 238 238 238	114 160 198 	051 115 167 	.018 073 119 	.087 015 066 	165 223 226 	075 131 171 219	007 085 144 	.062 043 100 	.127 .015 040 133	155 201 187 	049 089 129 207	059 110 183	013 069



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(b) M = 1.59

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Plane A	Upper- surface position, x/c	0.102 .190 .279 .388 .491	0.230 .109 .043 004 037	0.303 .183 .108 .057	0.238 .120 .052 .005	0.174 .057 004 050	0.205 .090 .026 020 050	0.330 .212 .136 .085	0.280 .161 .091 .041	0.214 .096 .035 010	0.149 .038 019 062 091	0.079 020 072 109 136	0.231 .112 .048 .004 028	0.303 .183 .113 .063	0.231 .112 .047 .002	-2 0.179 .062 .000 042 071	0.107 .003 055 094 123	0.025 060 110 146 169	0.258 .142 .072 .027 008	0.210 .093 .029 014 046	0.125 .014 044 084	-2 0.076 020 074 111 137	0.163 .051 006 048
Ŧ	Lower- surface position, x/c	.124 .221 .327 .393 .486	050 094 133 154 190	123 148 181 199 226	047 087 126 147 183	.018 034 079 103 142	007 057 099 121 159	151 177 204 220 249	097 131 163 183 215	.000 065 105 128 166	.058 .002 045 071 115	.120 .058 .005 025 074	028 073 112 132 169	114 143 175 193 225	019 064 107 131 170	.036 018 065 091 118	.112 .049 004 034 084	.180 .113 .053 .018 039	048 089 128 149 186	.008 044 091 115 156	.086 .020 036 063 113	.150 .079 .020 010 063	.062 .002 051 080 128
	α		-5		-3		-2	0					2	4					6		8		10
	1	t	14	0	2	14	2	-14	-2	0	2	4	-2	-6	-14	-2	0	2	-6	-6	-4	-2	-6
Plane B	Upper- surface position, x'/c'	0.084 .168 .260 .353 .442 .539 .786	0.207 .101 .035 014 069 112 183	0.272 .168 .105 .041 023 068 143	0.207 .105 .042 008 064 105 176	0.148 .048 014 056 108 142 212	0.182 .079 .016 029 081 120 188	0.306 .201 .125 .067 .002 046 116	0.255 .150 .080 .028 034 077 149	0.195 .095 .026 021 076 115 182	0.134 .035 029 070 115 146 210	0.071 017 077 115 157 179 243	0.208 .108 .039 006 060 100 169	0.277 .173 .100 .047 013 059 131	0.209 .105 .037 008 063 100 171	0.161 .059 006 048 097 130 196	0.096 .004 058 097 139 165 211	0.025 053 107 144 185 201 257	0.237 .124 .064 .015 042 082	0.192 .090 .026 019 073 112 179	0.112 .016 046 084 132 161 226	0.071 014 074 110 150 174 235	0.156 .056 005 045 094 129 195
	Lower- surface position,	.106 .199 .238 .340 .428 .530 .596 .733	069 123 136 181 225 271 282 300	143 182 189 226 264 303 303 279	076 126 139 179 226 273 284 293	016 080 095 147- 201 248 262 286	042 099 112 160 210 257 270 291	170 214 253 275 316 291 279	121 165 175 219 261 300 298 269	049 105 118 171 221 268 284 289	.018 047 062 124 179 228 244 270	.077 .002 017 085 142 193 212 239	056 110 123 176 224 273 288 268	138 180 190 237 284 311 285 276	053 110 126 186 238 286 278 263	.000 071 087 152 209 264 280 284	.074 009 029 086 168 221 232	.136 .049 .023 058 126 174 188 224	084 139 154 212 261 301 293 269	033 104 121 185 240 286 299 280	.040 046 070 144 203 248 258 276	.102 .007 017 094 155 198 214 241	.019 067 089 158 212 258 266
	α		-5		-3		-2			0			2		77.5	4	-		6	Γ	8		10
	1	t	14	0	2	14	2	-4	-2	0	2	4	-2	-6	-4	-2	0	2	-6	-6	-4	-2	-6
Plane C	Upper- surface position, x/c	0.091 .185 .288 .395 .492	0.136 .009 016 063 110	0.211 .086 .044 004 061	0.157 .031 001 048 100	0.109 021 050 090 141	0.142 .013 021 063 112	0.257 .130 .081 .030	0.210 .085 .041 006	0.164 .034 005 052 102	0.110 022 052 089 137	0.060 064 093 126 174	0.180 .052 .010 033 089	0.246 .118 .069 .018 042	0.186 .057 .015 034 082	0.143 .012 024 065 123	0.093 038 068 104 152	0.033 089 117 144 190	0.207 .082 .041 009 066	0.159 .048 .010 038 096	0.090 020 052 094 137	0.062 044 074 110	0.124 .021 014 057 108
	Lower- surface position,	.122 .188 .288 .392 .489	100 147 173 	156 187 199 	102 149 168 	051 121 145 	078 129 152 	180 217 240 	142 176 212 267	086 131 171 	032 093 119 	.012 061 082 165	089 148 182 	180 232 250 	098 160 205 	048 125 173 	.022 070 123 	.074 009 065 	157 202 235 	118 177 224 264	047 139 178 	.012 084 122 	078 158 202

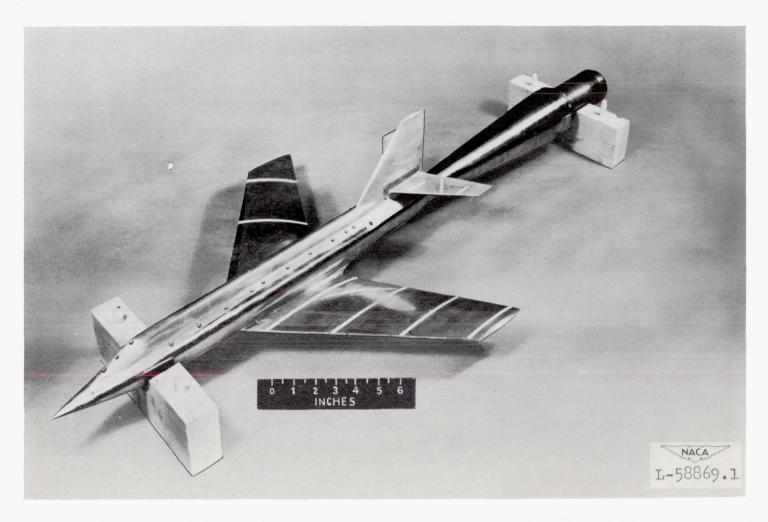


Figure 1.- Pressure model of supersonic aircraft configuration tested in the Langley 4- by 4-foot supersonic tunnel.

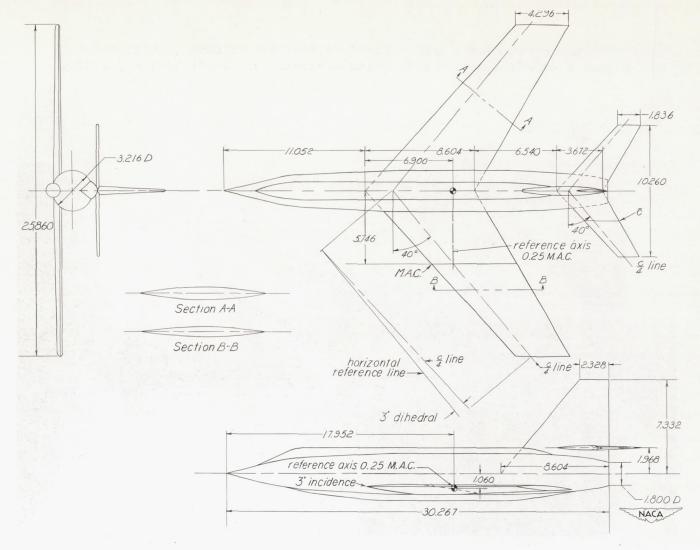


Figure 2.- Details of model of supersonic aircraft configuration. Dimensions in inches unless otherwise noted.

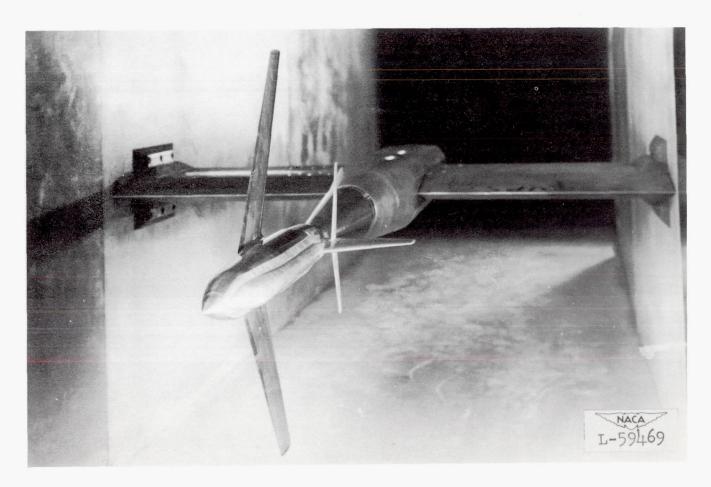


Figure 3.- Installation of pressure model of supersonic aircraft configuration tested in the Langley 4- by 4-foot supersonic tunnel.

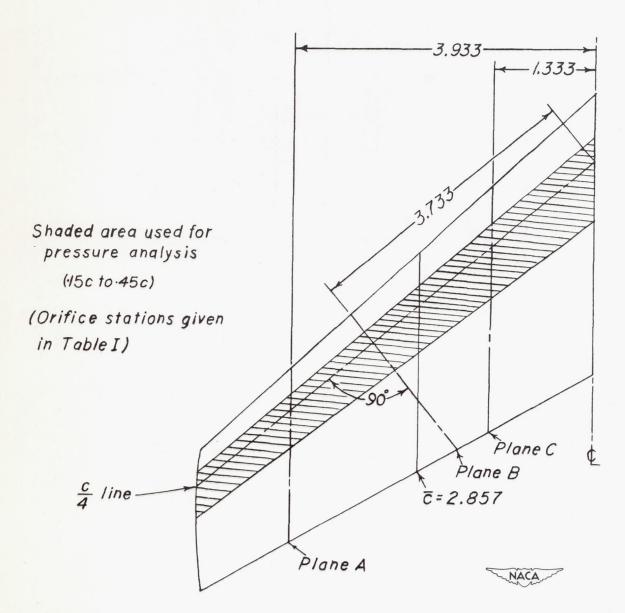


Figure 4.- Schematic diagram of horizontal tail. Dimensions in inches unless otherwise noted.

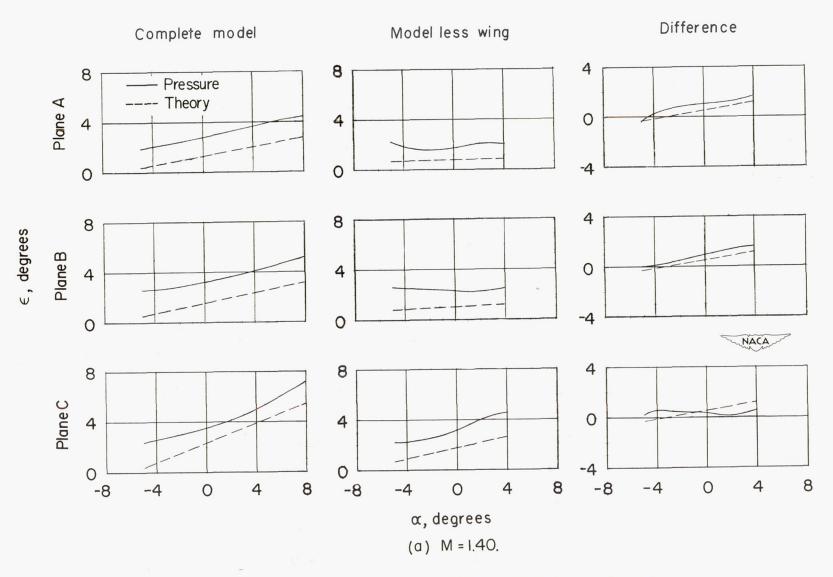


Figure 5.- Variation with angle of attack of point downwash angle on the 15-percent constant chord line.

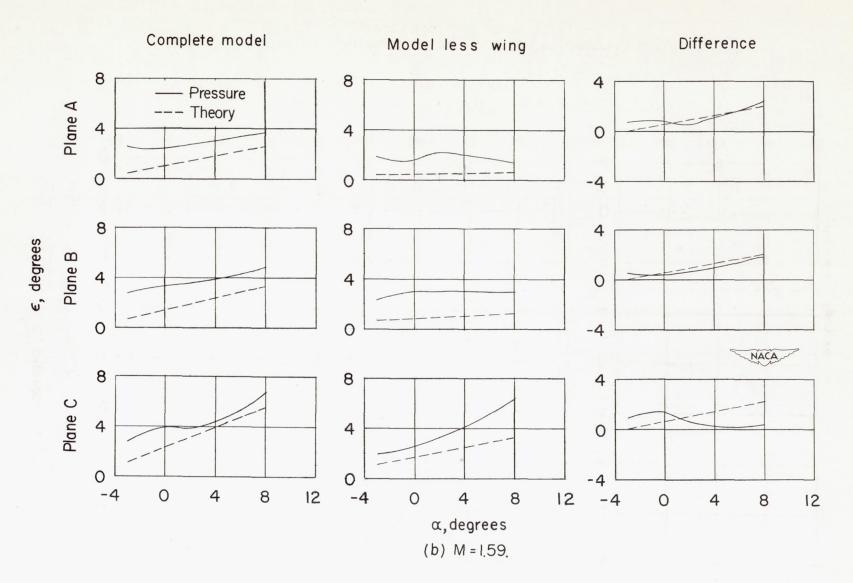


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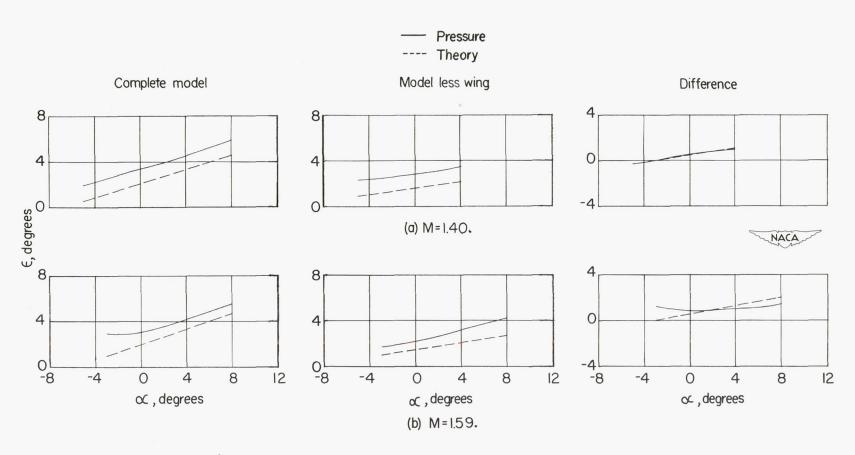


Figure 6.- Variation with angle of attack of area downwash angle.

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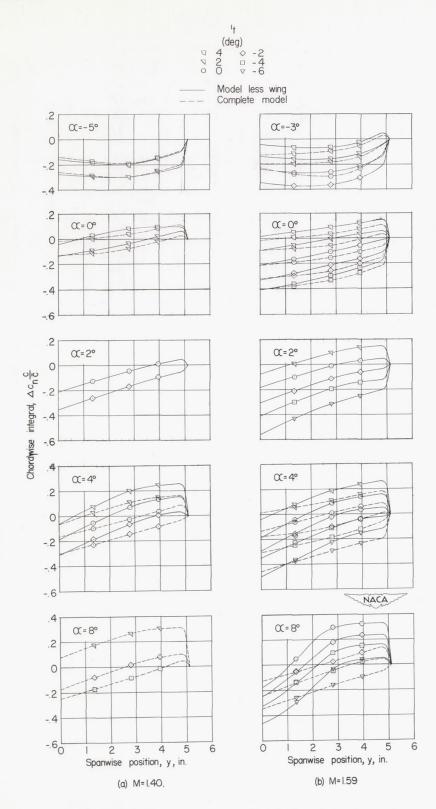


Figure 7.- Span-loading curves for the strip between the 15- and 45-percent constant chord lines on the horizontal tail.

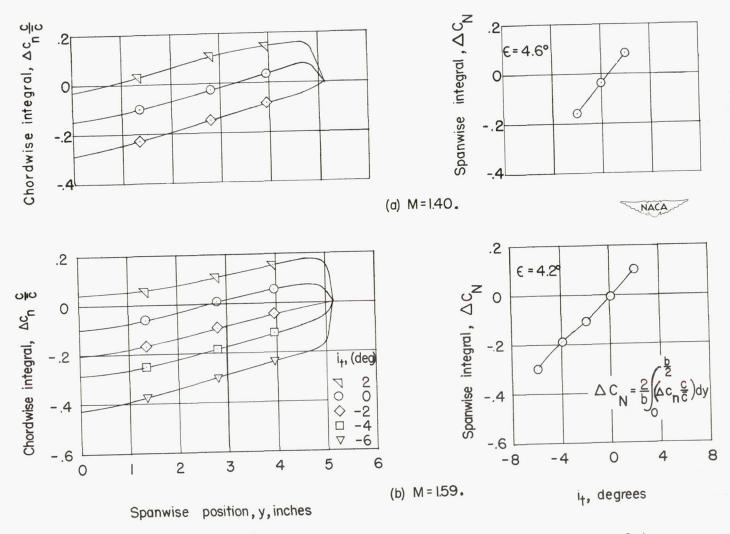


Figure 8.- Sample evaluation of an area downwash angle for the complete model at $\alpha=\,4^{\circ}$.

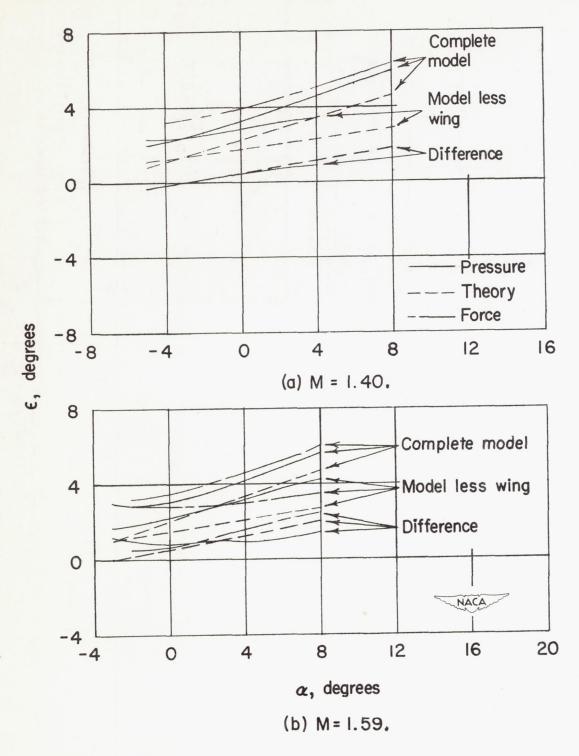


Figure 9.- Comparison of variation of downwash angle with angle of attack for various analyses.